

Expert judgment is a method that is based on consultation with one or more experts that have experience in and knowledge of a topic. This technique is generally used when other methods are not feasible and/or additional [validation](#) is required. It is used, e.g. for completing, validating, interpreting and integrating existing data; assessing the impact of a change; predicting the occurrence of future events and the consequences of a decision, etc.

It is usually part of a [forecasting](#) approach, but lacks validation when it is the sole component.

Further information

- [Handbook on Data Quality - Assessment Methods and Tools](#)

Related concepts

- [Forecasting](#)
- [Estimation](#)
- [Validation](#)